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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Alfred Kersch et al.  
Applic. No. : 09/939,330  
Filed : August 24, 2001  
Title : Method of Producing a Ferroelectric Solid-State Layer Using an Auxiliary Substance  
Examiner : Eric B Fuller  
Group Art Unit : 1762

AMENDMENT under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir :

Responsive to the final Office action dated May 27, 2003  
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: